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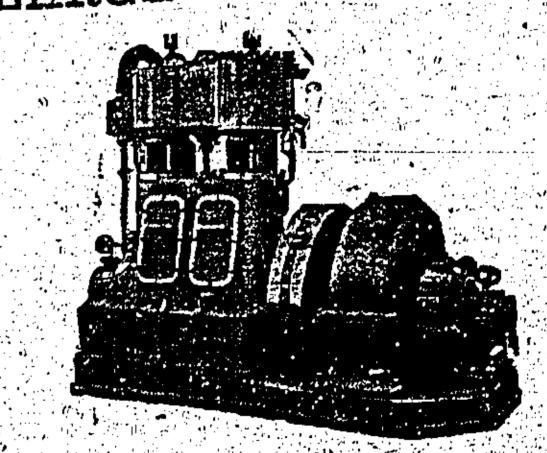
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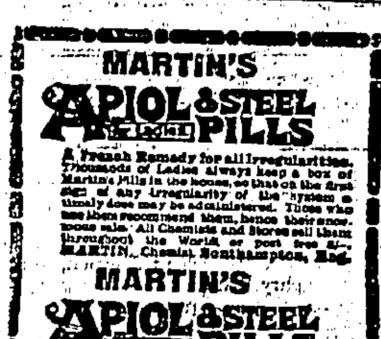
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Lotton, November 14: The coming year bids fair to be critical one for home politics. The Asquith Cabinet has even more problems to face than in the year that is closing and these problems that remain are the hardest or the list and most surrounded by possible developments of an unexpected character. On the other hand the Conservatives have changed leaders and the new man has ye to win his spurs in that capacity.

In Liberal circles there is a belief that the government will manage to scrape along or another three years. But in the mean time many things may happen, and if byeelections are numerous thore is no saying what inroads may result to the slender majority of the coalition in the House. That is why the Premier has declared speedy warfare on the plural votor. It is estimated-by a Conservative expert—that | right-fitting glasses. there are four hundred thousand outvoters, as they are called in England. If these are nailed down to one vote each, and that for the districts in which they reside, it will make a vital difference to the majorities as at present constituted, for many a Conservative member sits by virtue of the plural votors who come in to help him from outside. For nearly all the pluralists. are Conservatives: they are property owners, and more and more their class has drifted from Liberalism. But against the gain to the Liberels from the cutting off of these handicaps must be set the many currents of opinion that will tell against them. Take Lloyd George's in the number of Orientals who" have Insurance scheme, for instance. By the arrived since the troubles in China set in. middle of next year the working classes will The Japanese are limited in British be paying fourpence a week out of their pay Columbia to six hundred new arrivals, a and resenting it. It will take some time year and Chinese are subjected to a head for them to see the benefits - that they will tax of £100. But that tax is not high draw ninepence from the scheme for their fourpence, if sick or out of work-so they will be upt to jib.

"Also there remains to be seen how far the country is reconciled to the idea of Home Rule and how far the churchmen who are Liberal will tolerate the Disestab. lishment of the Welsh church that the Welsh party are sworn to extract next year. And besides that there is the growing irritation of the Nonconformists that their passive resistance against Mr. Bal-Your's education schome of 1902 has not yet brought forth fruits in annew measure that will relieve nonconformists from the necessity of paying rates for elementary schools in which the Church of England clergy have most of the say. Three times the government have tried to erase the grievance but each time the Lords have blocked the way. Now that the veto has gone, they demand a fourth attempt but Mr. Asquith points to his swollen programme and shakes his head. The most he can promise is that the matter will be dealt with later." But, they argue, if the Lords reject the measure again it will take two years to pass it over their heads and in that time the Liberals may be out of office. Hence these tears! It is clear that the path is by no means free from obstacles and it will take all the skill of the Premier to steer clear of the pitfalls.

ted that the anti-Balfourites overdid their sel pitches and tosses. part. The leader of the party simply reduced them to impotence and then retired, leaving them not by any means in good feather. Regardless of party, the trip with a good record there is no doubt departure of Mr Balfour from the leadership is a matter for regret, for his brilliant less with them in course of time. mind kept the range of political debates high whenever he took part. His personal charm and courtesy were also splendid asset and Mr Asquith told the truth at the Guildhall the other-night when he described him as the greatest figure in the greatest deliberative assembly In the world. But there is a feeling that he will come back when the crisis needs him. Meanwhile the divergent opinions in the party necessitated a middle line in choosing a new leader and that ruled out Mr Walter Long, Mr Austen Chamberlain, Sir Edward Carson and Mr F. E. Smith. So Mr Bonar Law is to have the great opportunity of salary as a clerk in a department in Paris. bringing the party back to power. He may do it, for he has a forceful yet persuasive way with him, but it still remains to be seen whether he can develop the personal magnetism that draws popular confidence. So far he has not done so His speeches are a touch too acrid, and attitude towards great questions is frankly commercial one... That is accounte for by the fact that this very able Scot he been most successful as a man of commer in Canada and Scotland. One thing clear-the Conservatives, will be committed under his leadership irrevocably to Tari Reform, of which he is by far the most skilful exponent in this country.

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This week the American delegation to the International Conference at the Hague that is to discuss the new phases of the opium question, commencing December 1.

-Apparently the names that were first mentioned as the British delegates -were subsequently altered by the Foreign Office, though no exception can be taken to the eventual selection of Sir Cecil Clementi Smith, Sir William Moyer and Mr W. Max Muller. At the time of writing the fourth delegate has not been selected, or at any rate announced, Lut T believe the government have considered the Earl of Minto, Karl Grey and Earl Curzon, among others.

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rency that owing to the disturbance at | Want' Advertisements Hankow vast consignments of tea were hold up there so the price was apt to soar with us. It was soon made clear by Hankow merchants in London, however, that the war was not being allowed to interfere with business and there was no interrup-

tion in the shipments of tea. What there has been was a remarkable clearance of ten out of the bonded warehouses. In fact that clearance will continuo till after next Wednesday, anyway, for the merchants are determined to be in position to supply all retailers at once so that in the event of a nation wide strike there will be no inconvenience to retailers or consumers at tea time.

THREE CRIMAMEN SUFFOCATED. The seductive pipe and possibly the soductive cards have brought disaster to the steamer Wentworth and death to three or four Chiuesu sailors. "The men evident. ly had a game of cards and then resorted to their pipes. Presently fire was noticed among the cargo of jute in the after hold, and several hours later the stoomer, which was bound for Dundee from Calcutta, put into Dover and proceeded to subdue the outbrenk. But one of the officers came up in the unconscious sailors and called for a doctor, but he found three had gone too far and the fourth is now hovering on the

CHIRA SOCIETY. The opening lecture of the winter session of the China Society, will be given to-morrow night at the Caxton Hall. The Chinese Minister will preside and the lecture will be on " The Longovity, of China" by Mr. Chao-Chu Wu."

CABLE RATES. Presiding to day at the meeting of the Eastern, Australasian and China Telegraph Company, held in London, Sir John Wolf Barry said that when he ad dressed the shareholders a year ago he referred to a proposal submitted by the British Postmaster-General to the various cable companies interested, for the introduction of a reduced rate for deferred telegrams in plain language, and he explained that their associated companies had agreed to the proposal in principle, leaving the necessary details to be worked out. Since then the proposal had taken definite shape and had been considered by the various governments concerned, and it was expected that the British Postmaster-General would soon be in a position

SCOTTISH PORT.

(From our own Correspondent:) " Edinburgh, November 21.

The match between those unbeaten sides, Watsonians and Edinburgh Univer-A large stock of Materials comprising sity, was of the closest and keenest Steel, Iron and Copper in Bars, Tubes and description. It was noteworthy for the Sheets, Tool Steel, Pipe Fittings, Brass extraordinary tackling, especially by the and Gun-metal. Steam and Water Fittings, Watsonians. The sureness of the defence may be gauged by the fact that of the attack only Angus for the school and Osler TWO STEAM LAUNCHES and Two and Taylor for the Varsity showed any Sets of Sheer Legs 25 and 50 Tons Capa- individual play, and these only occasionally. But the three-quarters play of the students was too stereotyped. On the other hand, the Watsonian kick across gave a chanco every time, and twice at least only the hardest of luck prevented a score. Spiers, in fact, did score a great try, and was injured in the getting of it, but he was adjudged off side, and later a crosskick of Bowie's, snapped up by Milroy and given to a forward who had practically only to walk over the line, was badly knocked on. On the whole, the teams left the field with honours even; if the University had more of the play, the Watsonians were the more likely scorer. The other two unbeaten sides also maintained their record. Hawick had a great win over Wanderers, in which the running of Lindsay Watson was again the feature. Clasgow Academicals did not show so big a margin, but their victory was creditable, as the R. H. S. are a fineside with a vigorous pack and good scoring ability behind. Heriotonians

and Newartonians played well in their matches; but Institution and Glasgow High School are still going backwards.

Watsonians, 0; Edin University, 0. Hawick, 23; Wanderers, 0. Kelvinside Academicals, 7; West of Scot-

Glas High School, 12; Ghas Univ., 3. Glas Academicals, 9; R.H.S. F.P., Stewartonians, 8; Edin Academicals, 5. Gala, 22; Institution, 0. Fettes, 11; Edin Academy, 9. Panmare, 34; Glenalmond, 0; Merchiston, 9; Loretto, 0.

Watson's, 11; Dollar, 0. St Androws Univ., 25; Dundee Training Edin Jun League, 11; Aberdeen Univ., 5. ASSOCIATION LEAGUE.

When Rangers won their Glasgow tie at. Hampden, by a margin of five goals, unattached observers characterised the result as ridiculous, and the soundness of their criticism was proved by last Saturday's game in the Lesgue. Rangers lasted better and finished better, or rather they finished | 8.45 p.m. and 8 p.m., 9.45 p.m. on top because the Queen's forwards, efter playing superior outfield football, failed to turn their opportunities to account. The bulk of the aggressive work lay with the winners, but the prattiest play came from the young and vigorous amateurs. Clyde were unlucky in falling to Motherwell Partick i histle had just a shade advantage over Third Lanark, who almost deserved a draw. Heart's left wing surprised Kilmar. nock : the veteran Walker and the youthful Abrams took all the three goals. The Glasgow Irishmon were a long way inferior, in attack to their Edinburgh brethren, their forwards are getting worse instead of better.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE FIRST DIVISION. Rangers, 1; Queen's Park, 0. Partick Thistle, 2; Third Lanark, 1. Motherwoll, 2; Clyde, 1. Celtic, 1.; Hibernians, 1. Hearts, 3; Kilmarnock, 1. Falkirk, 21 Morton, 1. Airdrie, 2 : Hamilton, 1. Raith Rovers, 1; Aberdeen,

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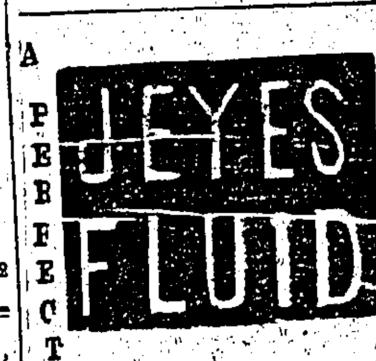
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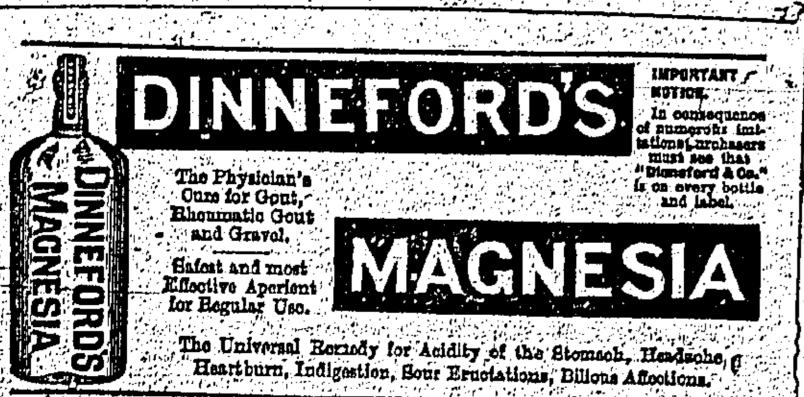
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L-THE WONG-NEI-CHONG STAKES-FOR Subscription Griffins of this Season Half a Mile.

2-THE MAIDER STAKES. - For Griffins on date of entry. Three quarters of a Mile. 3-THE VICTORIA STAKES. For China Ponies. One Milo.

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HOSPITAL WARDMASTER'S DEATH.

Strange Tale of a Plot.

A magisterial enquiry into the circumstances attending the death of William Edward Cook, wardmaster at Kennedy Town Hospital, was held by Mr E. A. Irving at

the Magistracy on Monday afternoon. Dr Macfarlane, Medical Officer in charge of the Victoria Mortuary, stated that he made a post mortem examination of the deceased on the 7th inst., and removed the stomach for analysis. In witness's opinion death was due to carbon monoxide poison-

Mr Frank Browne, Government analyst, deposed that the stomach contained acid and a quarter of a grain of morphine. Witness received from the police a tumbler. two medicine bottles and two towels, on all of which opium was found. No opium. uld be traced in a quantity of food also received from the police.

Dr Kelly, medical officer of Kennedy Town Hospital, stated that while he (wit. ness) was at his residence on the 4th list. decensed telephoned to him. AUTHORISED CAPITAL ... Yen 48,000,000,00 His Worship-What did he say?

Witness - He said he felt his life was Did he say why? - He had an impression that the hospital boys were going to take

Did he says anything more definite than that ?-I tried to get something more definite out of him, but I was unable to do

What did you do then !- As he persisted. I telephoned to the Police Station. Witness added that next day he went to the hospital and saw the deceased. How did he seem?-He seemed in his usual spirits. Did you got into conversation with him

-Yes. I asked him to state definitely what made him telephone to me. What did he say !-He would give nothing more definite than that he had heard a chance remark in the boy's con-Did he say which boys?-No, but he evidently meant"the two boys there at the

What was your impression: did you view it as a sorious matter? Do you think these were charges which could reasonably be made?—No, I didn't think so. I told him at the time he had no reason to think so. You thought it, was a delusion?-An absolute delusion. Witness stated that next day he

CAPITAL, PAID-UPGOLD \$3,250,000 RESERVE FUNDGOLD \$3,250,000 received a summons shortly after 10 o'clock in the morning. He entered Gold \$6,500,000 one of the bathrooms and saw the deceased lying on his back, life being apparently HEAD OFFICE : 60 Wall Street, New York. extinct. Beside him were two bottles containing the drugs of tincture of opium. There was also a tumbler stained with a brownish fluid. There was also a strong smell of gas in the room. National Provincial Bank of England, Ltd.

His Worship-Did you know any reason why he should have this delusion of people wanting to attack him?—No, his normal Capons, Large, Small,—Sin Kai characteristic was a rather reserved nature. Would being in a room full of gas produce the effect of "C. U." poisoning? -Evidence was then given by a Chinese

ward boy, who spoke to discovering the His Worship-Have you ever had marrels with the deceased ?-No. the deceased, was not in his right mind?— Geese, WildS'hai,—Shang-hei Yea Ngoi pair \$1.40 balances and accepts Fixed Deposits at the No, except that sometimes he drank a good

Another ward boy also gave evidence. He denied over having had any quarrels with the deceased, who was, he said, quite good James Kynoch, P.W.D. overseer, gave evidence to being called to deceased by one

of the ward boys. He found deceased lying on his side in the bathroom, which smolt very strongly of gas. Witness went into deceased's bedroom and there found his dinner, which was quite untouched. Witness had tea with deceased the previous afternoon, when he seemed rather

His Worship-Did he mention anything about being threatened ?-He mentioned about a week pravious that the boys were | Wild Ducks, S'hai, -Shang-hoi Sui Ap going to poison him. Did you attach any importance to that at the time !- No, I only laughed at it. Wild Ducks Cauton-Sang-Shing Sui Ap ,

I thought he was only joking. Witness added that he had known deceased about six months and had always thought him a bit peculiar. Police Sergt Harris spoke to visiting deceased in consequence of Dr Kelly's Barbel,-Ka Yu deceased in consequence of the boys message. Deceased told him that the boys were going to poison him and that he had overheard the cook say he was going to Canton Fresh Water Fish,—Hoi Sin Yu cut his head off that night. His Worship-Did you believe his state- | Carp,-Li Yu

ment; did you attach any importance to it 1—No, your Worship.
You thought he was under a delusion?— Why?-By his manner. You did not think he was really in

danger of being poisoned?-No, your Wor-Witness added that deceased sword that he would touch no dinner that night. Police Sergt George Watt also gave evidence, and his Worship found that deceased mot his death by "C.O." poisoning or an overdose of morphia, or from Eels, Congor, Hoi Mann both; further, that the deceased administered both poisons to himself, and that at the time of doing so he was suffering from delusions. His Worship therefore returned | Eels, Yellow, -- Wong Sin a verdict of suicide during temporary Frogs,-Tien Kai

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Head,-Chu Tau Heart;-Chu Sum Kidneys,-Chu Yid Liver, -Chu Con Pork, Chop,-Chu Pai Kwat ...

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Sausages, - Ngau Chai Chaung... Poultry.

Chicken,-Kai Chai Ducks,-Ap Dovos,-Pan Kau

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Plaice,-Pan Yu

Pemfret, Black,-Hak Chong

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Silmon, _Ma Yan Yu .. 智用 Shark, Sa Yu 魚魚 Skate,-Po Yu. Shrimpa,-Ha Snappor,-Lap Yn Soles,-Tut Sa Yu Tench,-Wan Yu Turbor,-Cho How Yu Turtles, small, fresh water, -- Kork White Bait, - Ngau Yu Chai ... Almonda,-Hung Yan 金生平! Apples (California)-Kam San Ping Kho (Cheloo)-Tin Chun Ping Kho .. Small,-Hol Toug

, Custard, -Fan Lai Chi... Bananas, fragrant, Canton,—San Shing Houng Chiu Bananas, (brides), Macao, -San Heung Chiu, Chestnuts,-Chinese,-Foong Lut Carambola, -Young Tue Coccanuts, -Yeh Tsen. Lomons, China,-Ning Moong America,-Kum San Ning Moon Lichees Dried,-Lai Chi, mall Stone Limos, (Saigon)—Sai Kung Ning Moong each 6 Mango, Manila,-Lui Sung Mong

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Pine-apples, 1st quality, -Poon Ti Paw Law each 10 . 2nd ,, _Chung-tangPawLaw ,, Plantain,-Tai Cheu Plums, -Swatow, Hung Lai... Pumelo, Siam,—Chim Lo Yau Shanghai, -Lo Kwat-Walnuts,-Hop Tuo Green,-Sang Hop Tuo...

Water Melon,—(Am.) Kom San Sai Kwa each (China) Sai Kwa Grapes, -Sang Po Tai Tse Vegetables &c. Artichokes, Shanghai, Sheung-hei Ah Chi Cheuk Beans, (French), Macao, -Oh Moon Pin Tau,

(French), Shanghai, -Sheung Hai Sprout,-Ah Cho ___Long, _Tau Ko

Best Root,—Hung Choi Tan Brinjals, Green, -Ching Yuan Red,-Hung Ker Cabbago, Chinese, com, Kai Chey Cabbage Red, -Hung Yen Choy ... Cabbage, Shanghai,—Yeh Choi Cane Shoots, bunch,—Kau Shun

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Garlic,-Que Tau Ginger, young,-Sun Tse Keung Horse Radish, Shai, -Lik Kan Indian Co-

Lettuce,-Young Sang Chri Water Chesnuts, -Ms Tai Mandarin,—Kwai Lum Ma Tai Mushrooms, Fresh,-Sang Cho Koo Musk Melou, Amer. - Kam-san Hong Kwa Onions, Bombay, Yeung Chong Tau

, Green, Sang Chong Shanghai, -Shang-hoi Chong Tau Papaw, 1st qual,--Tai Man Sau Kus Parsley,-Kun Cho Green Peas, - Ching Tau

Potatoe, Sweet, -Fan Shu Shanghai, Shang-hoi Shu Isal Japan,-Yut Poon Shu Tsai... American,-Fa Ki ,, ,, Foothow, -Fook-chow Shu Tsut Pumpkin -Tong Kwa ...

Radish,-Hung Lo Pak Tsai Rhubab (Fresh),-Tai Wong Sage,-Tse So ... Shallots, -Gon Chung Tan Spinesis Yin Choi Tomatoes,-Fan Ker Tares, Wu Tou ...

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MEMCS FOR TO-MORROW. 2030 p.m.-Prize Giving at St. Francis School by Mrs Eyres.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, December 21 2.30 p.ur.—Legislative Council Meeting. 5. p. m.—Prize Giving by H.E. the Gov. 9.15 p.m.-Kovarick's concert at the Theatre Royal.

Monday, December 25:-Public Holiday,

3 p.m.—Auction of Crown Land at Public

Works Department.

Tuesdam, December 26 __ I ublic Holiday.

THURSDAY, December 28 :--"10 a.m.—Extraordinary Meeting of China Commercial Co., Ld.

FRIDAY, December 29 :-"9 p.m. -- Dock Dance.

The Thins Mail.

Hongkong, Tuesday, December 19, 1911.

A CHANGE OF TACTICS.

place in the aspect of general politics in England of late years is one the most palpable of , facts to those who have been absent therefrom for considerable period, though plain to those who have engaged in fighting through forty years ago that we shall perceive sufficiently apparent. how complete a volte face has been successful candidate considered himself a representative of the Commons of England, though elected by a certain section of the Commons to whom he

power, was really governed by the because every representative professes verage of the commonsense of the to vote according to the dictates of people; if the Tories were in power his own conscience on each question lale in Flower Street. they pursued as liberal a policy as, it was possible for them to do while maintaining intact their own principles; if the Liberals were in power they avoided carrying out changes which were likely to be too offensive to the members on the other side of the house Moderation reigned on both sides alternately, a middle line was taken and neither party had any difficulty in carrying their measures through the second chamber.

At the present time all this is changed. The nowly elected member no longer speaks of the necessity of representing the views of the unsuc- Bakery. cessful party, and if he were to do so it is certain that his auditors, who are generally of the proletariat, would not believe in the sincerity of such a statement, so that even should he entertain such opinions it would be School, Koyloon, will take place on by the Chinese. A rickshaw coolie at much more simple theory, namely, that the spoils should go to the victor, is the one that alone appeals to the vulgar mind, even when the victory has been decided by a sorry half being £24,492. dozen votes in a constituency numbering several thousands. But more to state that the auction of engineering capital of £2,000,000, has been formed for party of section in their aims in whatbe found. If he is elected by a majority of labourers engaged in the manufac- make a wide appeal to residents. ture of lace he deens himself competent to regulate the legislation

necessary for the safe working of coal mines, and next to the interests of those to whose votes he owes his return he views the interests of other workers in fifty different trades of which he influence whatever. Thus the lines new metal has been named canadium. separating the principal parties are differences which divide them-more ly rivalry for the good of all is replaced by fierce fighting (however on Friday. politely veiled) for the benefit of

(use more gentle phraseology there are) many who see plainly that the struggle has begun with great determination of the part of the latter. A new line of cleavage between parties has become established and whether that be a change for the better or for the gradual modifications by which it worse may be a subject for argument has been brought about. It is only but it is certain that for a time at comparing the spirit of the least it will give occasion for much

It is the rank and file of the old effected. It was at one time quite fishioned Liberal party which are most common occurrence for the affected by the change. At present successful candidate at an election they are holding together with British to prefix to his speech of thanks to temeity but the more farseeing between Trieste and Shanghai. The same the electors the statement that he among them know that sooner or Company send us a striking wall calendar. was now the representative of all later a decision will have to be made classes "in his constituency, of the and that they must take their places Mr Harcourt informed Mr. A. Lyttelton minority as well as of the majority, in the fighting line on one side or the that a governorship lay outside the ordinary and that the interests of all was the other; stand for the old order of things course of promotion in the Colonial service. matter which would engage his or the new. This is the only exfuture energies. In the old hustings planation of the secession of the few fully considered whenever a governorship intidential Liberals from the ranks became vacant, his object being to get the expression was perfectly sincere; the of that party which was so marked a best available man. The only claims he fenture in the recent conservative considered to be paramount were those of successes at Oldham and South merit. Somerset. We have, we can have, no quarrel with those who hold their ordered the expulsion of two Chinese certain proposed changes in section 8 of the women, who called themselves "eye Public Health and Buildings ordinance 19/3-1909, which came before the meeting was to be more particularly attentive opinions with minness, but only desire women, who called themselves "eye rubus meaning orumance perhaps. As a result although during to put in a plea for moderation in dectors," owing to the fact that a hundred of the Sanitary Board this afternoon. Dr. perhaps. As a result although during action when it tends to foster blind patients were sleeping in the streets G. L. Fitzwilliams minuted—Whilst offer-

affecting the community as it arises. In the intensity of their desire for certain objects they have forgotten or neglected their duties in other directions; have entered on a system of wholesale bargaining on behalf of their constituents for which they have received no mandate from the NEWS OF THE DAY. H. M. S. Astraca is due here Thursday next. We hear that all Chinese cocks in the Garrison Bakery have been discharged and that a guard has been placed over the

Mr Henry Dalles troupse of Follies commenced a short season at Singapore on 8th inst, after which they will be coming on to the Far East.

Eastern Extension Telegraph Company has granted each of its employees a bonus of a month's pay, the total amount involved

Messrs A. S. Watson and Co., have ever portion of the country they may once again issued a most dainty wall calen' dar. It, bears a charming lithographed hend study entitled "Maud," and should

The Chinese Engineering and Mining Company, Limited, report [that the total output of the Company's three mines for the week ending! 2nd Dec amounted to 32,522.65 tons and the sales during the period to 21.480.93 tons.

A new metal has been discovered in has no intimate knowledge, leaving in the Kootenay district. It belongs to his neighbours who have not voted the platinum group of metals, and will be for him without any representative or of great value for industrial purposes. The

becoming more deeply marked, the port this morning with H.I.H. Prince Fushimi, jr., on board, on the return nearly approach animosity, and friend- voyage from Bangkok, where the Prince represented Japan at the Coronation of the King of Siam. The cruiser leaves for Japan

copy of the first edition of Lord Bacon's at £27,879. logical ending of such a state of things was £1,950, and as the book weighed only is war between the Haves and the 2 oz the cost to the purchaser was nearly Supreme Court, retires at the end of this

The Trans-Australian Railway Bill has passed the Federal Parliament. The announcement has caused rejoicings in Westeffect will be to preserve the Colombo mail with funds. route to Europe.

In the House of Commons, Sir R. Isanes, replying to Sir G. Baring, said that the Criminal Appeal Act, with the object his visit. present age with that of thirty or confusion, confusion that is already in appropriate cases, were under consideration of the Government.

booklet containing particulars of their new itinerary London-Trieste (via Flushing)

also he would wisely mitigate the secure Home Rule was so great that mob, shots were exchanged, and a homb size of Hongkong they should be either opposite party and be content with which was utterly distasteful to them conditionally the modern of the land their conditionally at this moment.

Republican Guards were moned by the size of Hongkong they should be either was appleded. Finally the troops charged directly represented or be allowed a voice with drawn swords, and their horses in the appointment of members of the Board. less than the full expression, of his and their constituents; at this moment rioters. Scores were taken to the hospital less than the full expression, of big admiration for his own. A tendency towards a rapprochement of ideas of each party manifested itself in action and in those cases in which a member had been returned by a small majority it might have been considered prudent to carry this sympathy towards one's opponents to the extreme. The opponents to the feature of fight against Home Rule.

In this moment the full expression, of big and their constituents; at this moment the doctors. Scores were taken to the hospital as a result of the charge. The rotors later on invaded the hospital, and endeavoured to prevent the doctors from attending the wounded.

Even members of the House of Lords were tinged with the same pigment when they refused to throw out the Parliament Bill in the hope of making opponents. The opponents to the extreme. The opponents the constitution of the charge. Scores were taken to the hospital as a result of the charge. The rotors later on invaded the hospital as a result of the charge. The rotors later on invaded the hospital, and endeavoured to prevent the doctors from attending the wounded.

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NEWS OF THE DAY. Christmas is coming. Misaletce is or

dues so Liverpool have been ad-Sir Henry Blake contributes to

Nineteenth Century an article Will China Break-up ?"

Rajputs, proceeded to camp at Lown the 18th instant,

The Victoria Dispensary is issuing to its customers a splendid combined blotter and diary containing numerous illustrations of historic places in London.

Friday, 22nd inst. at 5" p.m.: Bishop Kowloon has been seen flitting about no attempt to conceal the fact. If the night, and one which should strengly

from a wealthy missionary for £70,000.

often he does not understand his gear advertised for 21st and 22ad instant the purpose of transferring the embroidery duties to his constituents in this light is postponed till Thursday and Friday the industry to America in order to avoid the high American duty on embroidery.

changer's, but was made to promise on

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

special classes of the community at the London on November 9, at auction, for a and Shanghai Bank, left personalty valued An extraordinary price was realised in Walford, Hereford, late of the Hongkong ently concealed in a cockloft and had heard dors for embezzling ven 13.700 and the

month after a number of years spent in the Government service of Hongkong.

A house has been taken in the Hongkew district of Shanghai for Dr. Sun Yat-sen, ern Australia. The line, it is anticipated, who is coming north on the P. and O. will be completed under three years. The Devanlia. He is said to be well supplied imprisonment each and the other three

proposals to introduce legislation amending educational purposes in commemoration of sum of Rs. 801,000 for agricultural and

Mr. E. W. Mix, the well-known Ameri-Gordon-Bennett Aerial Cup in 1909, The Austrian Lloyd S. N. Co. send us a committed suicide on November 9 by jumping from a steamer in the English

In the House of Commons recently Fleet-Surgeon Handyside has spent over Navy, and attained his present rank 1899. He is the author of a return on the health of the Chius and Japan armies After his visit to China and Manchuria in 1895, for which he received the thanks of the 40 cents l' Is he the one single backslider? consideration by Japanese jurists."

SANITARY BOARD ELECTIONS. Criticisms by Dr. Fitzwilliams.

and whooping cough than the wise nother with a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough

The dock tonnage rates and the dock

charge of manslaughter. The Bishop of Victoria will distribute the prizes to the Victoria British School

boys on Friday morning next. A dead body of a child has been found a the street at Yaungti, having been "dumped." It was apparently a case small-pox.

Capt. R. S. Clarke, Lieut. L. Spencer, Indian officers and 181 other ranks, 8th

fortunate occurrence was the result of a A cable message from Honolulu states

that Canadian-British capitalists have purchase the Fanning and Washington islands

kidnapping.
The following were swern in as jurors:—
Purvis, foreman: W. G

Goggin, J. W Kew, W. M. Johnson, F. Another instance of the working of Bovington, S. Boulton and A. A. Boulton. the confidence trick has been reported to Mr Alabaster said prisoners had pleaded the police. A Chinaman was walking were three counts, the first of which was along near the Hongkong Hotel when he that of taking the child away by force. was accosted by two of his compatriots, who law where the child was very young a smallshowed him a nestly done up envelope amount of force was all that was necessary which they said contained notes of great to justify a conviction. If a child was taken away by the hand it was enough. value. The man cagerly thrust out his The second count was taking the child his hand to grasp the envelope, but the away by fraud. He would call the child others told him that he could not have it who would tell them that the first prisoner unless he provided some security. They told her that she was going to take her to then accompanied the man to his friends in her somewhere else. The third count was order that he might borrow some money one of detaining the child. The mother to advance and succeeded in getting \$30. | was a widow and lived in a house of ill-fame This was duly handed over and the man in Temple Street, Yaumati, and she and was directed to go to a certain money- the first prisoner were employed mere. On the morning of November 8 the mother went out to buy something and when she

cath that he would not himself open the returned the child was gone. The child envelope but allow the money-changer to would tell them that the first prisoner took her to a matshed while the second prisoner do so. When the money-changer broke the seal he of course found that the en- ing. Between the 8th and the 15th the velope only contained rolls of paper. This child's queue was removed. Several nights was what the simpleton had paid \$30 for, paid for in turns and later the child was and borrowed money at that taken to a matched in Aplichow. The mother, brother and a party of Chinese

eventually went there and when questioned as to what she had done with the child Mr. George William Butt, Holcombe, anything about it. The child was appar-

Sir Sassoon J. David, of Bombay, has placed at the disposal of His Majesty the date of the 18th inst., says :-

can sportsman and balloonist, who won the

Fleet-Surgeon Patrick Handyside, M.B., serving on the cruiser Minotaur, has been appointed to the staff of Vice-Admiral Sir A. L. Winsloe, K.C B., commanding the China Squadron, under the new conditions! 27 years in the medical branch of the had jotted down, only threw in \$1.50. On fraud wandeliberate. Moreover, it appears his alluding to the morning drive the coolie to us that the Japanese Courts do not place averred that he had then been paid only The whole question would seem to require

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New Badge for the Coldny.

the Supreme Court this morning, before the Chief Justice, Sir Francis Piggott The following resolution will be submidwhen Young Hoi Shan pleaded guilty to a tod by the Colonial Secretary at Thursday's meeting of the Hongkong Legislative Hon Mr. G. C. Alabaster, Acting Attor. Council :- "Resolved that the existing ney General, appeared to presecute in badge of the Colony is not only inartistic but it is unsuitable for reproductions Crown Solicitor, and Mr. Eldon Potter especially on flags, etc., and resolved thererepresented defendant, instructed by Mr. fore that the design bid on the table, being both simpler and more artistic, be Mr. Alabaster said that prisoner and substituted therefore."

deceased were men of the same surname The business before the Council Inand probably relatives. At any rate they Ordinance to further amond the University had known each other for a considerable time. One day they went out together to fish and prisoner appears to have taken some paddy belonging to deceased in order to stuff a hole in the fish trap. This appears to parantly annoyed deceased who became anorwand he picked up a hamboo pole and the Ordinance relating to Public Hally. parantly annoyed deceased who became the Difference of An Ordinance to amend and several holes in the trap. Prisoner and Buildings. Second reading of the Bill also became incensed and struck deceased a entitled. An Ordinance to amend the Statuta Laws (Name Danier Date). whack on the head with another pole with the result that he died shortly afterwards.

Ordinance, 1911. friends for years and there had never

THURSDAY'S CONCERT.

case had been tried he would have been appeal to lovers of good music. Of course, able to prove that deceased struck the the features will be the numbers to be prisoner first with a bamboo pole and given by Kovarick, the brilliant young violinist, and probably one of the best items His Lordship, said he thought justice associated with Mr Donn a Fuller would be met by inflicting a punishment of six months' imprisonment with hard Griez's Allogro Molas (Sonara in Minor), which should to a specially great treat. Mys-Monlder will be the vecalist, and she has chosen a couple of boautiful Two women, Chan So and Kwo Yau, were solos, namely Elar's Dream from Wagner's placed in the dock on a charge of Lohengrin, and the Song of Mimi from "La Boheme" (Puccini). The full pro-

gramme is as follows :-1. Concerto No. VII. op. 76... Do Beriot WITH THE ORCHESTRA IST K.O.Y.L.Y.

2. Solo 'Elsa's Dream' ... (Lohengrin) MRS A. B. MOULDER. a. Souvenir ... Drdia -3. Humoresque Dvorale Dvorale Musin

UR ROVERICE. 4. Selection ... Il Trovatore ... Verdi THE ORCHESTRA IST K.O.Y.L.I. (Interval of 10 minutes.) 5. Allegro Molto (Sonata

C Minor).... Grieg. Grieg. MR DENMAN FULLER AND MR KOVARIUK. 6. Solo Song of Mim! "
Puccini (La Boheme) MRS A. B. MOULDER a. Liebeslied ... Fritz Kriesler

b. Libesfreud ... Fritz Kroisler (c. Fantace Caprice (finale) MY KOVARICK. 8. Selection ... "Crown of Diamonds ... Auber

THE ORCHESTRA IST R.O.Y.L.I. JAPANESE JURISTS AND BREACH OF TRUST.

the first prisoner said she did het know The Chartered Bank in Yokohama has the mother speaking when it called out to ber. In this way the child was recovered and it was by that evidence he hoped to able, six months' imprisonment, but the execution is postponed for three Jears!
This, says the Japan Chronicle, "means The jury returned a verdict of guilty that the man will suffer no punishment unless he commits another offence in the prisoner to five years imprisonment and meanwhile. Japanese Courts appear to the second to three, each with hard labour. be very lenient in such cases. The st-Five men were charged with robbery, titude taken appears to be this, If a man pefore Mr Justice Compertz and a jury, is brought before a Court with the reputa-Two were sentenced to five years' tion of being a bad character, e.g. a gambler or a pickpacket, the Court passes a severe sentence, which goes into effect at once, even if the offence is comparatively trivial. On the other hand, if an offender has hitherto borne s good character, this is taken into consideration so that a man who has embezzied ten thousand yen may escape without any punishment whatever, while a man who has stolen a five-yen note may serve a sentence of one or two years' imprisonment. While the motive in these discriminatory judgments is a good one, we are airaid that such a system is not funds in aid of the anti-Manchu cause in ledge that penalty will not follow in the Canton during the last few days. This even- case of a first offence may just turn the ing the passive amazons of easy virtue balance when a man is meditating threw in their 24 hours' earnings. An in- able sum of money within his reach, cident has just come to light which betrays while failure, though having inconthe inevitable "black sheep." Yesterday venient results in the way of publicity, will morning a leader of the movement hailed in all probability not involve the penalty a vehicle on the Praya Grande and after of imprisonment. We assume that the being carried a quarter of a mile alighted provision in itself, was intended to be used and handed the driver a fiver. In the only in cases where sudden templation was evening the gentleman was present at the proved, or where the circumstances indicashing of contributions and remarked that simply where the offence was shown to be his favoured sportsman, whose number he the first committed if the intention to de-

CLARIIS.

the contest he may have expressed himself forcibly enough either on one side or the other, after election and side or the other election and side or the other election and side or the other. The other election and side or the other election and side of the other election and side or the other election and side or the other election side or the other, after election and in consideration of the fact that the minority had certain claims upon him determination of the Nationalists to also he would wisely mitigate the secure Home Rule was so creat that mob. shots were exchanged, and a bomb size of Honeskong they should be sither.

A nage crowd, nowever, protested against the objects and reasons are logical or in any way justified. Persons helding office to determination of the Nationalists to Republican Guards were itoned by the world wisely mitigate the objects and reasons are logical or in the objects and reasons are logical or in any way justified. Persons helding office to determination of the Nationalists to Republican Guards were itoned by the With a resident naval population of the With a resident naval population of the Bottles and quarter Bottles.

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EX-MANAGER SENTENCED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail)

LONDON, Dec. 19. Mr Carpenter, late manager of the Charing Cross Bank, which suspended payment in April last, has been sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the second division.

REVOLUTION. REPORTED ANGLO-JAPANESE INTERVENTION.

1 Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) London, December 18. Meetings of the Imperialist and Republican delegates to discuss the terms

of peace begin at Shanghai to-day.

Great Britain and Japan have concluded. an agreement for combined intervention in China, and that their Consuls in Shanghai have been instructed to offer mediation.

The Japanese Foreign-Office deseribes the story as unauthorised.

DENIAL OF THE INTERVEN-TION STORY.

(Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)

Toxyo, Dec. 19. The Japanese press denies the rumour that Japan and England have taken a -common course and intend interfering in the House from participation in the the discussion of the terms of peace. The papers say that what Japan is anxious to do is to facilitate a happy conclusion of the affair now dividing Imperialists and Revolutionists. It is surmised that at the present moment the Government of Japan has no concrete filea as to what -sttitude it will take in case peace is not restored, but it is naturally supposed that the Government has no alternative but to act the part of a mera bystander and looker on at events in Chica.

A PRELIMINARY CON-FERENCE.

(Wah Tsz Yat Po's Service.) SHANGHAL Dec. 19. Prior to the actual peace negotiations a formal preliminary conference was held here yesterday. H. E. Tang Shao Yi occupied the head position on the right and was supported by his Reuter's Service to the China Mai staff consisting of Au Kang Cheong Heu Ting Lum, Chao Chun Nin and Fang occupied the first position, being followed by Wan Chung Yao, Wong was perfect. The first innings of the Bin Ming and Nau Wing Kin.

dentials, and after examination thereof Tang Shao Yi was requested by Wu Ting Fang to wire to Yuan Shih Kai give orders for the cessation of fours. Hordern took five wickets for 85 consider that the girl whose name is inscri-Eghting everywhere, the conference to runs. await a reply before proceeding with the negotiations.

Wu Ting Fang also addressed those members who are Cantonese in sheir own tongue, informing them that the principal matters for discussion will be the abolition of the Ching dynasty. the establishment of a Republic and the granting of an annual sum to the young Emperor and the aged Manchu officials.

During the meeting, which lasted -until 5 o'clock, the police kept guard plong the street.

AMERICAN RAILWAY DISASTER.

EXPRESS TRAINS COLLIDE.

LONDON, Dec. 18. Reuter's correspondent at St. Paul Minnesota) states that the second section af the Trans-Continental express collided with the first section.

Nine passengers were killed and many periously injured.

noted musician's DEATH.

Mouter's Service to the China Muil. LONDON, Dec. 18. The death is announced of Alberto Candegger, the well-known composer professor of singing and conductor of the Royal Opera, Covent Garden, Queen's Mall Choral Society, Queen's Hall Sun-

THE TRANS-PERSIAN RAILWAY.

any Orchestral Concerts, etc.

Bouter's Service to the China Mail. LONDON, Dec. 18. dinal surveys of the Trans-Persian Railwas bent direct German participation. gulation lights.

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A HUGE COMBINE. (Reuter's Service to the China Mail. LONDON, Dec. 19.

A big shipping amalgamation has been announced to-day, the chief feature of which is the enormous power of combination, which is everywhere empha-

It comprises five great lines with total of 304 vessels.

AMERICA AND RUSSIA

"A MILD CRISIS" (Reuter's Service to the China Mad.)

LONDON, Dec. 18. According to some American newspapers, something like a mild Russo-The Yorodzu Choho (Tokyo) states that American crisis appears to have arisen over the resolution to abrogate the treaty to a phrase in which, accusing Russia of violating the treaty, Russia particularly objects. If the Senate passes the modified resolution to-day, M. Bakmatieff the Russian ambassador, will apply for his passports.

THE PRESIDENT'S ACT.

.In Washington it is understood that President Taft, using his executive powers, has notified Russia that the Commercial Treaty of 1832 is abrogated, it having been found obsolete in many ways. The President has thus excluded

matter, his action only requiring the ratification of the Senate.

THE CHANGE OF CAPITALS.

CALCUTTA INDIGNANT.

(Review's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, Dec. 18. at Dellii states the Europeans at Calcutta are in liguant at the transfer of the capital, and the recission of the Bengal

There is a movement on foot to appeal for the instant recall of the Governor

TEST CRICKET.

AUSTRALIA'S ROSY POSITION.

The first Test match was continued at Tung Yu Tung. On the left, Wu Ting Sydney in glorious weather and before an attendance of 13,000. The wicket Both parties produced their cre. Australia's score) Hobbs failing to add anything to his over-night score of 63 and Foster scoring 56 freely. His score included nine fours. Hearne knocked

> In their second attempt, Australian had scored 119 for the loss of one wicket when stumps were drawn.

A "NERVY" AGE.

GERMAN NAVAL FEARS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) LONDON, Dec. 18.

As an instance of the spy mania prevailing in Germany, a story is going the round of the papers to the effect that the German high seas fleet remained at see for weeks because it had been discovered that the British Naval Intelligence Department possessed plans of the locks, etc. at Wilhelmshaven, enabling it, if it wanted, to block the harbour and -bottle up the German fleet if it stayed Reuter's Service to the China Mail.) therein

ITEMS AT THE COURTS.

A Chinaman who stated that he was secretary, to General Lung of Canton was arrested on board the s.s. Honam for being in possession of a sword. He stated that he was on the way to Hupeh. A fine of

Before Mr E. A. Irving at the Magistracy to-day a Chinaman was charged with wearing the King's uniform. It appears that the defendant had an uncle, who was formerly a corporal in the Chinese corps of Sappers attached to the Royal Engineers in Hongkong, and that the former joined the Bevolutionary Army at Canton and came to Hongkong on leave, when his uncle gave him the old Army cost. Defoudant was discharged with a caution.

Kan Lok, a fireman of the s.a. Yuen Sang, was sentenced to four weeks im- Theatre for Christmas. A monster matinee ment through the medium of your paper. prisonment with bard labour by Commander C. W. Beckwith, R.N., at the Marine Court this morning, for wilful disobodience of the lawful commands of the master. The No. 1 fireman was sent by did films are to be exhibited including histhe master to seek defendant who was torical, panoramic, dramatic and comis. missed from his work when defendant an iron bar. The master of a fishing boat pearance on her roturn visit to the Colony. The Russhoe Stopes states that the was fined \$5 for refusing to stop when She is noted for her famous ele tric dance well; dispel Constitution, cure Biliousness, called upon to do so. Defendant stated and admirers will no doubt give her a warm prevent Headaches. Tiny but thorough. that he was going on some other Susiness | welcome. All the pictures to be shown | As gentle as Nature. For sixty cents from way will immediately follow the conclusand had not time to stop. A coolie post to night are new while on Friday night the Chemister or post free, from The Dr. magnificent film entitled "The stege of Williams Medicine Co., 84 Szechwen Road,

ITALIAN CONVENT SCHOOL'S SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS.

Sir Frederick Lugard's Eulogy.

Having listened to a most interesting musical entertainment at the Italian Convent School on Monday evening, in connection with the annual prize distribution Bis Excellency Sir Frederick Lugard de-

livered an interesting address and oulo leed the substantial progress which had been His Excellency the Governor was accompanied by Captain Simson, Private Secretary.

and amongst those present were Bishop D. Pozzoni, Father Lynch, Mr.J. R. Wood, Director of Education; Mr J. J. Leiria, Consul-General for Portugal and Brazil and Madame Leiris, Mrs Atkinson, Mrs Pollock, Brother Christian, Brother Corneilus and Mr R. C. Barlow, Superintendent of Schools. His Excellency said-My Lord Bishop,

ladies and gentlemen. - You have before you the report of the headmaster, Father d: Maria, and I am rather sorry that we are deprived of the pleasure of hearing it read, because I read it through this morning and I found it a most, interesting report, and one which gives us an idea of the very substantial progress in the school of the Italian Convent during the past year. I have also had the oppor- Fulham. 1 tunity of reading the report of the Director | Bradford' 1 | Leicester Fosse of Education which has not yet been made public. I find from these two reports that there has been in this school during Huddersfield, 2.... 0 the past year what I may rightly call substantial progress. On the one hand the staff of European ladies engaged in teaching has been increased by three. That makes the proport on of European teachers to children, 25 to 1, which is a Queen's P.R. 2 Brighton & Hove 0 very good and a very satisfactory proportion. In the second place the buildings have been enlarged, and the Director of Education remarks that the conditions under which the children are now being taught are much more satisfactory from a health point of view than they have hitherto been in this Colony. The average artendance, which for the past five years has been 227, has now increased to 280, an increase of 20 over last year. Considering that the proportion of teachers is thoroughly | doubtful if Mr P. F. Warner will again be satisfactory, I am extremely glad to say that able to play cricker, the following from the the average attendance has gone up. For Sydney Morning Herald of Nov. 29th the first time during the past year the pupils in this Convent have entered for the Oxford preliminary-examination in order that they may compete with the scholars of other The Daily Felegraph's correspondent schools, and I am glad to say that from a quarter to one-third of the pupils in the upper school have passed the examination, to the number of ten. I hope next year they will have even more satisfactory

results. This has involved the inclusion of three new subjects in the curriculum of the school. On these various points I think I am justified in saying that the progress has been sound and substantial, because it is chances of the Englishmen winning the much more satisfactory to have progress which involves the organisation of the teaching of the whole school than to have results and achievements by two or three individuals instead of steady progress throughout all classes of the school. I shall presently have the pleasure of presenting two small mementoes to two young ladies whose names are to be inscribed on the Lady Lugard Shield, and I offer them my" hearty congratulations. Miss Hung English team realised 318 (129 less than and Miss Farins are the girls whose names are to be inscribed on that shield. They are the girls who have been during the past year the most reliable for integrity, and who have exercised the best influence up 78 in masterly fashion. He hit eight for good throughout the year. Therefore I bed on the shield has gained the highest distinction possible for any girl to attain in the school. (Applause). I should like also to congratulate Miss Hayes, who has won the scholarship which the late Sir Hormusjee Mody, whose death has been such a loss to the Colony, was good enough to found, bearing my own name. (Applause). I regret very much that my wife is unable to be here this afternoon. You know how deep an interest she takes in this institution, but she is unfortunately confined to her bed and has been for the past month. She asked me to give to all the pupils of this school her most hearty congratulations on the success and prosperity of the past year, and her cordial wishes for success in the year to come and to wish you a merry Christmas and a happy New Year. Ladies and gentlemen, I am not going to detain you with a long speech. I'think I should do right if I express to the noble ladies who give their lives to the work of this institution! the pleasure which you as well as I have in coming to see them at least once a year,

and to witness an entertainment such as we have just enjoyed, and which must have costs great deal of pains and trouble to those who performed it so admirably. Therefore on your bohalf as well as on my own I venture to wish them most hearty success in the coming year, and a merry Christmas and a happy New Year (Applanse.)

thanked His Excellency the Governor for his presence there that afternoon. The prizes were subsequently presented by Sir Frederick Lugard.

Wather Lynch in a humourous address

VICTORIA THEATRE

Special Yuletido attractions, are anis to be held on Christmas Day at which a number of handsome presents will be given away. During the wook a number of splen-To-night, Miss Linds Davies makes her ap-

Calais" is to be thrown on the screen.

SPORTING.

Lawn Bowls.

At the Kowloon Bowling Club on Saturday the final in the Celegraph competition was played off the contestants being Mn L. Guy (minus 2) and Mr A. Ramsay. (minus 8). The match resulted in a wir for Mr Guy on his handicap, his score

being 23 to his opponent's 27. The Kowlo n Bowling Club have their closing day on Saturday, when the final in the various competitions are to be decided. In the Championship Mr A Ramsay moets Mr D. Reith and in the President's Competition Mr G. R. Edwards opposes Mr S. Gray,

Homo Football

Below are results of League Matches

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Glossop 0
Derby County 5 Barnsley 4 Gainsborough T. 0 Birmingham 0 Bristol City

Burnley 1 Stockport County 0 SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Cricket. MR P. F. WARNER'S ILLNESS. In view of the announcement that i

will be read with interest :-"I'm the keenest cricketer that ever lived, but health must be considered. T'r

certain that I won't be able to play in the first and second tests, and I may not be able to play in the third." This statement by Mr P. F. Warner to

Herald representative last evening will be received with keen regret by cricketers all over Australia. It will mean a great handicap to the visitors in the matches, and in view of George Gunu's injury the rubber have considerably decreased.

For the illness to come at this time is particularly unfortunate, seeing that the English skipper was so very successfulseason, and in view of his splendid contury at the beginning of the present tour. Mr Warner-has received hosts of sympathetic messages from all over Australia, and scores of offers of hospitality during his convalescence. But although nothing can be definitely stated, it is quite possible that the visiting captain may not play again this season. After suffering from a duodenal ulcer extreme care must be taken, and violent exercise entirely eachewed for some

In view of the possibility of the team losing the services of the captain, there has been considerable discussion amongst local cricketers as to the possibility of the M.C.C. sending out another player to strengthen the team. It has been asked whether O.B. Fry or R. H. Spooner could be induced, even at this late hour, to make the trip. TEDDY BEARS

Either would be very welcome. Mr. Pawley, manager of the team, says | MONKEYS. that it is very unlikely that another player until the beginning of January, and then would come fresh to Australia on to strange wickets, and after some months away from the game. Mr. Warner also thought that it was hardly likely that any other player would be sent out.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE FLOWER-MEN NUISANUE

(To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL.") Sir.—For some time now there has been an Indian policeman on duty in Guils Flower St., to keep the flower-sellers order. I presume, as at first the intelligent ones did keep the men from etc. mobbing ladies, and the buskets were kept back a bit so as not to obstruct the road quite so much. For the last week or so, however, the Indian p.c. on duty has stood about looking on calmly at the men fairly mobbing people and has never attempted to stop it. A bad case has just occurred this morning, two ladies being swamped by these men and getting their TABLE clothes wet. What is the good of these p.cs. who stand and look on ! The backets are all over the place again.

I think you would be doing the ladies of Hongkong a service if you brought this nounced in connection, with the Victoria state of affairs to the notice of the Govern-Yours, étc.

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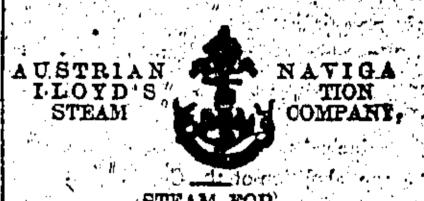
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMER CALEDONIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARTIMES

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from Lornoss

ax a.s. Breton & Medoc; from

Haves ex as Medoc, in connection
with above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk
into the hazardous and or exten hazzadous Godowne of the Hongroup and Kowloon Whare & Godown Courley. Exp. at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consigneed before Noon, To-DAY, requesting:

it to be landed here. Bills of Leding will be countersigned by
the Undersigned, and Goods remaining unclaimed after the 25th December, at Noop
will be subject to rent and landing charges.
All claims must be sent in to nie on or
before the 27th December, or they will now
be recognised.

P. THOMAS 1.

Hongkong, December 19, 1911. 1616

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM NEW YORK.

THE H.A.L. Steamship ARAGONIA, Captain Mater, having arrived, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the hazardous and/or extrahazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company. Dimited, whence delivery may be obtained against Bills-of-Lading countersigned by the Undersigned.

Optional Cargo will be carried on unless
notice to the contrary be given to-day.
All Claims must be presented within test
days of the steamer's arrival here, after
which date they cannot be recognised.
No Claims will be admitted after the
Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods

remaining undelivered after the 24th instabilities to rentable to rentable to rentable to the demand Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 23rd inst. No Fire Insurance will be effected by use in any case whatever.

HAMBURG AMERIKA TINIR Houghong Office. Hongroug, December 19, 1911. 1617

SHIRE' LINE OF STEAMERS LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM EUROPE VIA COLOMBO, AND

THE s.s. Pembrokeshire having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong & Rowlpon Wharf & Godown Co., Ld., whence and/or from the wharves, delivery may be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 25th December at 9 a.m. will be subject to fant.

are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 28rd December, at 10 AM. Claims against the steames must be presented within 10 days of arrival otherwise they will not be recognized. in any case whatever.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Issae in Rongkong, December 19, 1911. 1614

NUTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Arrateon Apour having arrived from the above Ports, One signess of Cargo are hereby informed thes their Goods will be delivered from slower-Cargo impeding the discharge will he landed at once at Consignees risk and

Cargo remaining on board after 4 r.m., of the 18th December, will be landed at Consigness' tisk and expense. Total plant Consignees of cargo from Singapore delivery of their Goods from alongside.
Such Cargo impeding the discharge of the
vessel will be landed and stored at

Consignees risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. DAVID BASSOON & Co., La. Hongkong, December 16, 1911.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,

BREMEN. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship having arrived, Consignees of loarge was hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Traceure and Velu-ables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardone Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow-loca Wharf and Godown Company, Lindbas, Kowloon and West Point Godowns, whenever

delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 21th December will be subject to rent. Ali broken, chaled and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the 21st of December

All claims must reach us before the 2014 of December, 1911, or they will not be recognized. No Fire Instrance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned b

the Undersigned.
This steamer, brings on carpo.

Ex a. Hierorita from Zanaibas de Port Saidpung and L. L. Port Bald

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wager, Haiphong and Holliow Dec. 16,

December 19. Temjo Maru, Japanese str., 7,268, E. Walker, Mr and Mrs W. H. Wiley. Bent, San Francisco Nov. 22, Honolulu Yokohama Dec. 11, Kobe 13, Nagasaki and Shanghai 17, Mails and General.—

TOYO KINEN KAISHA. Thinksin Dec. 10, and Swatow 18, Pea-nuts. K. O. Connel and child.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. .. Drufar, Norwegian str., 1,102. J. Bing, Bengkok Dec. 8, and Swatow 18, General HINESE. "

Right and, British steamer, 1,124, P. H. FORT-BAYARD & HAIPHONGE, Rolfe, Manila Dec. 16, Hemp and General. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., LD. Mathing, British steamer, 2,122, E. P.

Smith, Calcutta, Penang and Singapore HOIHOW & HAIPHONG. Dec. 12. General. - David, Sassoon & Do., Liu. Yongtste, British steamer, 4,149, Bruce

and Shanghai 16. General. - BUTTERFIELD & Swine.

D. Bradley, Moji December 13, General, JARDINE, MATRESON & Co., LD. Huke, Japanese cruiser, 6,000, Sekine, from Bangkok.

Jung Wah, Chinese str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES. December 19. Orledoniem, for Shanghai and Yokohama. Armund Behie, for Saigon and Marseilles. Halche, for Hollow and Tournne,

Bri, for Canton. Raifuku Maru, for Kuchinotzu. Hangsang, for Shanghai. Aragonia, for Shanghai and Yokohama. Arrow, for Baltimore and New York. Largo Law, for Moji and Guaymas. Persia, for Shanghai and Yokohama. " Tran. for Manila and Iloilo. Haivang, for Swatow and Foochow.

Standia, for Singapore and Hamburg. OLEARED. Nore, for Shanghai and Yokohama. Pembrokashire, for Shanghai & Yokohama. Flume, for Manila and Cobu. Yunnan, for Hongay.

Tung Wah, for Shanghai. Miyasaki Maru, for Singapore & London. Machen, for Bangkok. Yangtme, for Singapore and Liverpool Execution, for Amoy ...

Tchong, for Canton.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED. Per Tenyo Maru, from San Francisco, &c., Mr F. G. Ashbaugh, Mr and Mrs E. M. Adams and child, Miss R. Adams, Dr and Mrs Geo. S. Baker, Dr and Mrs N. J. Blackwood, Mrs G. O. Bunce, Miss J. Bruce, Mr.B. G. Butler, Mrs. J. J. Banfield, Miss L. Banfield, Master W. U. Banfield, Miss M. S. Bliss, Mr and Mrs H. W. Bailey, Miss D. Bailey, Miss F. Bailey, Miss P. A. Bailey, Master H. W. Bailey, Jr. Mr A. W. Bottomly, Mr E.W. Clark, Mr C. W. Cowan, Mr and Mrs T. F. Cass, Miss B. Cass, Mrs L. D. Day, Rov. and Mrs W. C. Dodd. Rev. and Mrs J. B. Dunlan, Mr and Mrs. W. H. Dickinson, Mr O. A. Dutton, Mr and Mrs A. Ehrman, Mr E.M. Elam, Mrs W. Estill, Dr P. I. de Foulk. Mr. O. S. Givens, Mr. Fr. Go Chuyeo, Mr L. A. Hanlon, Miss T. Hargis, Mes G. N. Hurd, Miss G. L. Holmos, Rev. A. T. Howard, Mr and birs Henry Holmes,

Rev. S. S. Hough, Mr E. Hurford, Mr H. E. R. Hunter, Mrs R. J. Harrison, Miss M. Joseph, Mr and Mrs J. G. Lawrence, ARRIVALS.

December 18.

Chicago Maru, Japanese str., 6,200, I.

Soto, Tacoma Nov. 12, and Manila Dec. 16,

Bibur and General.—O. S. K.

Mr. H. P. Linnell, Mr. G. J. Linnell, Mrs. W. E. Lucas, Mr. E. Livingston, Miss J.

Moore, Miss E. C. Mason, Miss K. Mason, Mr and Mrs J. F. W. Marshall, Mr. D. P.

Maitland, Rev. F. Noval, Mr. P. R. Nell, son, Miss H. Naa, Mr and Mrs J. Nolasco Triumph, German str., 769, W. Langsch- and 2 children, Mrs. G. F. Richmond, Mr. E. Suettick, Mrs. R. S. Shewbridge, Mr. M. C. Staves, Mrs Y. Shimada, child and maid, Mr R. M. Smith, Mr R. Treitel. Marie, German str., 1,169, H. Schlaikier, Col. Wallace C. Taylor, Miss Helene D. Trace, Miss Norine Trace, Mr E. Voight, Mr and Mrs Alfred Winsor, Mr G. A.

Per Yuensang, from Manila, Messrs R. H. Griffith, J. Lynn, E. Kumbler, P. Snedcher, E. Hutchins, L. C. Hamill, D. Sanson, Mr and Mrs J. G. Crawford, Mrs Johang, British steamer, 1,228, R. Lewis, A. M. Freeman, Mrs O. O. Dickerson, Mrs

> POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close for :-

Per Si-Kiang, at 8 a.m., on Wednesday, the 20th Doc. (Taking Mails for Pakhoi.)

Per Sungkiang, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday, the 20th Dec. (Taking mails for Pakhoi). Husband, Yokohama Dec. 6, via Kobe 9, SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

Per Choshun Maru, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday, the 20th Dec. Kutsang, British steamer, 4,895, R. C. MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA. VIC-

TORIA, VANCOUVER, SEATTLE & PORTLAND. Per Ryaja, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday, the FORT BAYARD.

Per American, at 9 a.m., on Wednesday, the 20th Dec. SWATOW. Per Haitan, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday.

the 20th Dec. SHANGHAI. Per Tjibodar, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday,

the 20th Dec. NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Kumano Maru, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday, the 20th Dec.

MACAU..... Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Wodnesday, the 20th Dec. MANILA MANGARIN,

HOHO. Per Zafire, at 3 p.m., on Wednesday, the 20th Dec. HAIPHONG. (Taking mails for Pakhoi.) are hereby informed that their Goods are Wilson, Mrs Williams, Miss Williams, Mrs On demand, Per Hanoi, at 9 a.m., on Thursday

the 21st Dec. SWATOW, AMOY & FOODHOW, Per Haimun, at 10 a.m., on Thursday.

SINGAPORE, PENANG & UALCUTTA Per Gregory Apear, at noon, on Thursday, the 21st Dec." WEIHAIWEI & CHEFOO. Per Wuhu, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the

SHANGHAI: Per Chinhua, at 3 p.m., on Thursday, the 21st Dec. BANDAKAN.

SHANGHAL NAGASAKI, KOLE YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU & SAN FRANCISCU Per Nippon Maru, on Priday, the 22nd | 0.80 L.M. Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m. Registration 10.00 a.m. (Registration, with late foe of 10 cents up to 10.30 a.m. \ Registration, Kow pon B.O., 9.30 a.m. Letters at 11 a.m.

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THE Branch Line between Fanling and Shek Chung Au (Police Station) will be opened for traffic on THURSDAY, 21st

The Line is divided into four sections. and the fare will be five cents each section. The sections are as follows :---Fanling to Kung Ling...... 5 cents.

Wo Hang10 ,, Shek Chung Au...15 Sha Tau Kok.....20 The Section between Shok Chung Au

and Sha Tau Kok will not be opened for traffic until the beginning of January, 1912. Tickets will be issued on board the train. Trains will be run on the Branch Line in connection with Main Line Trains stopping at Fanling. For further information regarding freight &c., apply to Traffic Superintendent, Kow-

By Order. H. P. WINSLOW Manager. Kowloon, December 19, 1911.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM TRIESTE, FIUME, PORT SAID, BUEZ, ADEN BOMBAY, COLOMBO,

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unless - notice to the contrary be given Goods have left the Godowns, and all | Madamo K. Harris, Madamo V. Ram,

recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 24th December, 1911, will be subject

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDER WIELER & Co. Hongkong, December 19, 1911.

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This vessel has excellent accommodation, fitted throughout with Electric Light Unrivalled table: Meals \$4 per day extra payable on board.
SPECIAL FARE FOR ROUND TRIP

Passengers may sleep on board during the steamer's stay in Wuchow. ... For further particulars, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, December 19, 1911.

PASSENGERS EXPECTED. Per N. Y. K. s.s. Hirano Maru from London Nov. 11, Mrs C. Forsyth, Mrs Logan, Master C. M. Logan, Master of the Honggong and Kowloom Whire Wood, Mr F. Aran, Mr R. Grimshaw, Mrs. AND Godown Co., LTD., Kowlood, whence R. Watson; Miss M. Wilson, Mrs Ericksen. Master E. Ericksen, Miss M. Erickson, Master Erickson, Master E Venice ex s.s. Metoorich & Almissa tran. Erickson, Mr V. Erickson, Master A. W Ericksen, Mrs Johnson, Mr and Mrs C Triesle ex s.s. Africa, transhipped at D. Pourson, Miss B. Penrson, Miss Penty Mr S. Costollos, Mr M. J. Gibson, Mrs Optional Cargo will be discharged here Gibson, Mr. S.: H. Dutton, Mr. and Mrs Ransom, Mr and Mrs A. C. Clear, Mr and Mrs A. Young, Miss Loader, Miss M No Claims will be admitted after the Kerrigan, Miss G. Oviatt, Miss Oviatt, Claims must to sent to the Office of the Madamo M. Langanbacher, Dr M. Yama-Per Mawang, at 10 a.m., on Friday, Undersigned before Noon on the 24th zaki, Miss L. C. Barclay, Miss E. G. December, 1911, or they will not be Mathews, Mrs. K. Wilson and child, Baron Munck, Mr Salto, Mr Takashima, All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods Mr. W. Curoy, Mr. Y. Takashima, Prof. A. are to be left in the Godowns, where they H. Sayco, Mr J. Harada, Mesers R. Hawill be examined on the 23rd Inst., at segawa, K. Horiye, F. Preito, A. Lopes, Y. Nishiwaki and K. Ishikawa.

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December 5, Astyanaw, Benlawers, Bulow, Canton, Invertigate, Pakling, Pathon, Annam. December 8, Ajax, Bayern, Docember 13: Carmarthenshire, Jeseric, Malta, Tango Moru, Nereus, December 15, Diomed, Dumbea, Idome

ARRIVALS FROM CHINA. December 15, Belgrama, Kaga Maru, yestori struma, Telemachus, Welch Prince, Pacific.

STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Devanha left Singapore for this port on the 16th Dec., at 7.20 a.m., with the outward English Mails, and is due here on the

21st Dec., at about 7a.m. Thou N. D. L. s.s. Buelow carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 29th Nov., left Colombo on Sunday, the 17th Dec, p.m., and may be expected here or about Thursday, the 28th December.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s a.s. Korea sailed from San Francisco on the 8th Dec. for Hongkong via Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, and is due to arrive at this on the 2nd ThelN. D. L. s.s. Prinz Waldemar left

Sydney on Saturday, the 16th Dec., at II a.m., and may be expected here on br about the 8th January.

The T. K. K. s.s. Shinyo Maru sailed from San Francisco on the 13th Dec. for Hongkong, and is expected to ar-rive at this port on the 0th January;

The C. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of Japan left Yekohama for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., on the 10th Dec., at

The C. P. R. Co.'s R.I. S. Empress of India left Vancous r. B.C., for Hongkong via usual ports of call on Thursday, the 14th December, a.m.

The N. Y. K. s.s., Kirin Maru (Calcutta Line) left Singapore for this port on the 13th Dec., and is expected here on the 19th December.

Tue H. A. L. a.s. Andaluria left Shanghai on the 18th Dec., a.m., and may be expected here of or about the 20th

The N. Y. K. s.s. Hirano Maru (European Line) left Singapore for this port on the 15th Dec., and is expected here on the 20th Dec.

The R. MeS. Co.'s s.s. Monteagle will leave Shanghai on Sunday, the 17th Doc., at 8 a.m., and is due to arrive at Hongkong on Wednesday, the 20th Dec., at 8a.m. N. Y. K. s.s. Nilko Muru (Australian

Line) left Nagasaki for this port on the 16th December, and is expected here on the 20th December. The N.Y. K. s.s. Tamba Mara (American Line) left Kobe for this port via Muji and Shanghai on the 15th December, and is expected here on the 24th Dec.

The Ben Line steamer Bencleuch from Antwerp, Middlesbro' and London, left Singapore on the 14th Dec. for

The Glop Line s.s. Glenlogan, passed the Suez Canal on the 28th Nov., and is due here oner about the 28th Dec.

Latest Adricas. The E. & A. steamer Empire left Blandla on the 18th Dec., at noon, and is tx-"pected to arrive here on or about the 20th Dec., at noon.

The N. D. L. s.s. Prinz Ludwig which left here on Friday, the 15th December, at 6 a.m., arrived at Shanghai on Monday, the 18th December, at 11

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Persia from San Francisco, was despatched from Yokohama on the 19th December, " and is due to arrive at this port on the 27th December. The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Siberia sailed

from San Francisco on the 19th Dec. for Hongkong, via Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Manila, and is due to arrive at this port on the 19th January.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Socotra is expected to arrive at Penang on the 3rd January, at 5 a.m. The A. and M. Line s.s. Kioto left Sabang

on Monday, the 18th Dec., and due here on or about Thursday, the 28th December! EXCHANGE.

Hongkong, December 19, 1311. (In London-Bank Wire "... 1/101 On demand. 1/10, Documentary, 4 months sight 1/10% On Paris---On demand. Credits, 4 months sight, ... 239

Un Berlin-On demand, On New York-On demand. Credit. 6C days sight, ... 46 In Bombay Wire On demand, 1381 On Calcutta--Ou demand, On demand On Shanghai-On demand 30 days' sight, (private paper) 75 On Yokohama-On demand.

Silver (per oz.) ... oii ... 25 a. Bar Silver in Hongkong 6 % prem. Chinese Copper Cash. Conner Cents Hougkeng Sub. Coin ... Temperature. Hongkong, December 19, 1911. 1 7.W. 30.07 4 P.M. TERMOMETER- 9 A.M.

Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M.

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Gold Leaf, 100 tine, (per tael) ... \$56.30

Sovereigza (Banka' buying zate) \$10.70

Hongkoog Observatory :--On the 19th at 11.00 a.m .- Prossure is

WEATHER REPORT.

increasing over the Yangtze valley, while it is giving way quickly in Japan. The depression lying over the former area. yesterday, has moved Eastwards and lies

The anticyclonic area covering Japan

Probably a high pressure area will appear over China, and the monsoon is likely to freshen again along the coast and over the N. part of the China Sea.

Hongkong minfall for the 24 hours

ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon 1. -Hongkong and Neighbourhood: N. winds, freshening; fair.

2.—Formosa Channel: N.E. winds,

freshening considerably. A South coast of China between Hong- Sun, kong and Lamocks: Same as No. 1.

The following notice is issued from the compiled at the Nautical Almanac Office in London from the result of the analysis of observations taken by means of an su-tomatic tide-recording machine in the Water Police Basin at Teim Sha Tsui during the years 1887-8-0 The zero of the table corresponds with the zero of the soundings in the Admiralty

Hongkong Tides.

The tide table given below has been

Charts which has been found to be a feet now in the neighbourhood of Southern 3 inches below mean sea level. To obtain the depth of water on the tide gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add Freet 4 inches, and on the gauge at Lamons vestorday, bas shifted Eastwards to the Dick, Aberdeen, add 10 feet 8 inches to the height given in the table.

December 20th to 26th, 1911. HIBE WATER LOW WATER Bangkong Maan 1 41 a 10 39 a 8 81 a

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-		No. of	·	· · · · · ·	Paid.	Closing Quotations	
	Stocks	Shares.	· '	alus.	up.	Cash.	
 _	Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	120.00C	Ŧ	125	all	[8860, sales & sellety	
ŀ	Frondrom and cumming and a control		•		1).	£80	
"	BLARINE INSURANCES	10.000		9			
•	Canton Insurance Office Co., Ld China Traders Insurance Co., Ld	10,000	1			\$186, buyers \$105	
	North-China Insurance Co., Ld	* / 411	l	1 1	No. 1	Tls. 145	
1	Union Insurance Society, Linuted	12,400			1 -	1	
1	Yangtsze Insurance Association I.d.	12,000	Ş	100	8 60	\$210. @ Ex. 75	
	China Fire Insurance Co., La	20,000	8		S 20	\$127, sales	
	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ld.	8,000	8	250			
Γ	DOCKS, ETC.			•		100	
1	H'kong & Whampon Dock Or. Ld.	60,000	\$	60	all	\$48, sellors	
	New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd	10,000	1	. 83	all	\$7. buyer	
ŀ	Shanghai Dock and Eng. Cc., Ld	05,700	T	3, 100	All	Tls. 57	
ŀ	China and Manila S. S. Co., Ld	30,000	e	23.	nii.	\$100, sellers	
ľ	Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	20,000) 7. ;	50	all	S21	
1	H.K. C. and M. Steambeat Co., I.d.	80,000	1	" 15	- 41	\$267, bayers	
١	Indo-China S. N. Company, Ltd.	60,000 60,000	1.1	. 5	nll	E61 sales L'don, £5.10	
ŀ	Star Ferry Company, LA	10,000	8		1.11 3 5	[827]; sales \$17, buyers	
۱	Shell Transport & Trading C Ltd.	±,260,000	1.		all	81/3	
	Shanghai Tug and Lighter Co., Ld.	20,000 10,000	T	h 25	All	∫ Tls. 14 "	
N.	HERINBRIES .	317,1770		ia 50	all	↑ Tie, 45	
		20,000		100	- 211	\$110, zellom	
	China Sugar Company, Limited,		-	Section 1			
	Luzun Sugar Company. Limited	7,.000	9	100	NII.		
	H.K. & Kow. Wharf & Godcon Co.	e0,000		60	MII	\$55, sales	
, 1	Shanghai and Hangkew Wharf Co.					Tis. 90	
1	LANDS AND BUILDINGS.		-				
	Hongkong Land Investment and } Agency Company, Limited }	€0 ,0 00	8	100	all	8102, sellers	
_	Shangha 1 w 1 Investment Co.,	-78,000	T	l.,50	-all-	Tls. 91	
	Kowloon Landand Building Com-	6,000	3	50	8 ¹⁾ 30	830	
	Pany	3,671	T	ln 20	#II	Tls. 43	
	Humphreys Estate & Finance Co			700 100		86], bayern	
	West Point Ruilding Co Limited	12.700	9	50	all	848	
•	TEAMWAYS		<u>}</u> .	· .	1000		
1	The Penk Tramways Co., Ltd	26,000		10 10		8111, bnyere 81.10	
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1	Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ld	1:=0	í. H		all	82.60, sales	
-	Ranh Aust. Gold Blining Co., Land.		-	11.			
,	Hongxong Hotel Company. Ltd.	12,000 8,000	9	. 6 0	all		
اٍ	Manila Metropole Hotel, Ld.	15,00		0	8 2	1. \ 87 5 P10. selicre	
a l	Astor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hai)	100	ľ				
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g	A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	10,000		10		80	
0	Watkins Limited	. 10,00	ا	5 1(all	\$3, buyera	

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